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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am fortunate to live in an area where there is some competition among internet service providers, including small ones like mine (LMI of Berkeley CA) whose customer service is far superior to that of the big telcos like AT&T or Comcast.

The new petition by the US Telecom Association threatens the ability of small ISPs like mine to survive in this marketplace dominated by a few big dogs.

Please, please, FCC, pay attention to the needs of individual customers, and not always to the demands of the few, big telcos.

Sincerely,

Robert Littlejohn